UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

JOINT STATUS REPORT

Plaintiff,

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- v - 07 Civ. 3559 (LAP)

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APPROXIMATELY \$84 MILLION ON
DEPOSIT IN ACCOUNT NO. T-94025
IN THE NAME OF THE TREASURY OF
THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE OF THE
REPUBLIC OF KAZAKHSTAN AT PICTET
& CIE, GENEVA, SWITZERLAND,
FORMERLY ON DEPOSIT IN ACCOUNT
NO. 1017789E AT CAI INDOSUEZ,
GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, AND ALL
INTEREST, INCOME, BENEFITS, AND
OTHER PROCEEDS TRACEABLE THERETO,

Defendant in rem.

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The United States of America and the Government of the Republic of Kazakhstan (the "Parties") respectfully submit this Joint Status Report to apprise the Court of the current status of this matter.

On September 11, 2015, the Parties filed a Joint Status

Report in response to this Court's order of August 27, 2015,

advising that the Bota Foundation ceased operations on December

31, 2014, that it had been in liquidation, and that a final

financial report was being prepared for approval by the Swiss, Kazakhstani, and U.S. governments.

On October 16, 2015, the Parties received the final financial report, and its approval by the three governments is under consideration. The Parties anticipate that review of that report and finalization of procedures are likely to be completed within 30 days. Accordingly, within 30 days, the Parties will provide the Court with a final report on execution of the Final Order or a further status report if additional time is required to terminate these proceedings.

Counsel for Plaintiff has conferred with counsel for the Republic of Kazakhstan who has authorized the filing of this Status Report as a Joint Status Report.

Dated: December 1, 2015

Respectfully submitted,

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